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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

Inventor(s): James C. HamiltonFor (title): Hulling Apparatus and Method

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☒ 4 sheets of **informal** drawings.
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Dear Sir or Madam:

Transmitted herewith is the new patent application for James C. Hamilton, inventor, entitled: Hulling Apparatus and Method.

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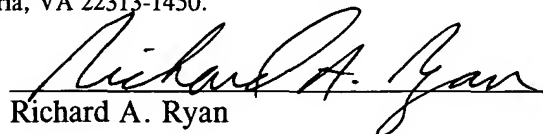
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